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Yesterday All Regulations Brought Into Play.

LARGE CAP SALE

Sophomores to Manage Affairs Strictly.

It was announced yesterday "Daily" that certain regulations regarding the conduct of Freshmen would be enforced.

In order to allow the Freshmen to be fully prepared for the time of full enforcement, the sale of red and white skull caps commenced early yesterday morning at the various buildings. The sale in most cases was apparently compulsory, although the Fresh seemed to be only too glad to comply peacefully with the enacted laws. Several hundred caps were sold in a few minutes and from ten o'clock on the campus was dotted with groups of the bedecked initiates. It seemed as though they might be discussing the further horrors which they feared.

Some little time later unearthly sounds were heard issuing from the Engineering Building; and a horde of Sophs dashed out, bearing with them large handfuls of footwear, which they had borrowed from the Freshies for the purpose of erecting a mound there, with on the campus. When this had been done, the bootless Fresh were corralled and were instructed in the method of giving a lusty yell. They were then left to their own devices, and an hour later not a shoe was to be seen: whether they had returned to their original wearers or not, the "Daily" man was unable to discover.

The Commerce men put their newly arrived brethren through a process which might be described as the tending of the "right foot of fellowship." The business Fresh descended the stairs of the Arts Building, encouraged the while by frequent bribes. After this they also purchased their caps, and rendered several selections for the musical enjoyment of all within hearing.

Throughout the day the Sophomores kept the cap-wearers in their place. They were encouraged to refrain from using the sidewalks, lest their unaccustomed tread might mar the beauty of the college walks. They were also stopped on numerous occasions, gathered into choirs and compelled to give the college song or yell. In the afternoon a few more hats were sold by Arts Sophs to the unfortunate whom the insufficiency of the morning supply had left unadorned.

A round-up of stray Fresh for the Rooters' Parade was the last item in the day's programme. During this an impromptu parade was staged through the grounds and along Sherbrooke to the R.V.C., where a few yells were given to entertain the residents. Here a slight mix-up occurred, but order was quickly restored, and the file returned to the Union.

It was announced late last night the regulations would be strictly enforced. It would be wise for all Freshmen to adhere to them.

THOUSAND ROOTERS GO FOR A STROLL

Cheered the First and Second Teams at Practice.

About one thousand men lined up at the Union yesterday afternoon and by their vociferous cheering made it known to all and sundry that McGill is on the warpath. The bright scarlet of the freshmen's headgear was effective in breaking up the gloomy quiet that prevailed at that period of the day. Traffic on Sherbrooke street was not delayed long, notwithstanding the length of the line, for the rooters set a brisk pace and were soon on University street, marching to the tune of "Put on Your Red and White Sweater," a song which the freshmen displayed much ability in singing.

All along University street men were filling in the gaps in the line and by the time Pine Avenue was reached, the column which had at the outset been of impressive proportions, was of such size as to convince any bystander that McGill was going to "beat Queen's."

The rain which commenced to fall shortly after the rooters had seated themselves in the stand did not dampen their spirits, indeed it was noted that they shouted more vigorously.

Jeff Harding, the cheerleader, and his assistants did not attempt variety, but strove rather for volume of sound

WHAT'S ON

TODAY

1.00—Commerce '24 in Room 100
1.00—Arts '26 Meeting in Room 5
1.00—R.V.C. Rooters.
2.30—Arts '24 Elections.
4.00—Freshie Reception at R.V.C.
4.30—Soccer Practice.
4.30—Harrier Club.
6.00—Rooters at Union.
6.15—Swimming Club in Board Room.
6.30—Western Club Executive.
7.00—Glee Club.
7.15—Mandolin Club at Union.
7.15—Pep Rally-meet in Campus.
Tennis tournament, entire close.

COMING

Oct. 5th.
Special Convention at R.V.C.
R.V.C. A.A. Meeting.
Science '25 Class meeting.
Oct. 6th.
McGill - Queens game Freshmen
Sophomore meet at 10 a.m.
Oct. 7th.
S.C.A. Excursion to Beloeil.
Oct. 8th.—R.V.C. '24 Class meeting.
Oct. 9th.
Freshman Reception at Strathcona Hall.
Oct. 13th.—Toronto vs. McGill.
Oct. 19th.—Conversat.

INSPIRING

ADDRESS BY

DR. PERRIN

Inaugural Speech in Faculty of Music.

ON GOOD TASTE

Large Attendance at Opening Ceremony.

At the opening of the McGill Conservatorium of Music yesterday afternoon, the Dean, Dr. H. C. Perrin delivered a most inspiring inaugural address before a large number of people. In choosing his theme, "Taste in Music," Dr. Perrin stated that in a former address he had chosen for a text "Taste for Music" because he had so frequently heard from parent's lips that "Mary or John had quite a taste for music." On this occasion however, he had decided to slightly vary that text to "Taste in Music," and to treat it in quite a different way.

In the first place Dr. Perrin conceded that in music as in every form of Art, tastes naturally differ. For instance one person may prefer the sonority of a Handelian Chorus, another the melodiousness of a Schubert composition. (Continued on page 2)

PERSONNEL OF SCHOLARSHIPS

Changes in Staff of McGill Conservatorium.

Following the inaugural address by Dr. Perrin at the Conservatorium yesterday afternoon, an interesting announcement was made when the names of the winners of the seven scholarships awarded in music were divulged. The two Peterson awards of \$150 each were made to Mr. Cameron Taylor and Miss Frances James. The two Macdonald scholarships of \$150 each were granted to Mr. J. Blackburn and Miss L. Elton. The Lindsay scholarship of \$150 was awarded to Miss Beasie Herschorn. The Conservatorium scholarship of \$150 was one by Miss Nina McCreary and Miss Molly Barr was awarded the Angus Hooper scholarship of \$100.

A few changes in the staff were announced and the addition of Dr. Whitehead and Mr. Clapperton to the Faculty of the Department. Mr. Treharne was appointed to the staff in the position which was held by the late Mr. Thorley. Mr. Williamson received the appointment of secretary and the resignations of Miss Donnelly and Miss Creighton were accepted.

In the old standbys. They succeeded, and a large measure of their success was without doubt due to the lately initiated freshmen.

The two long lines that formed up at the ticket wickets after the practice in a good indication of the size of the crowd to be expected this Saturday.

PEP RALLY WILL HOLD ALL COMERS

Highlanders' Band Will Lead Parade.

AT 7.15 P. M.

No Hazing Permitted After Six O'Clock.

All of the details in connection with the "Pep Rally" have been carefully gone over by the members of the Union House Committee and arrangements have been completed to make this smolder, the first one of the year, a success in every respect. Speakers have been secured; smokes have been procured; orchestras have been engaged and all that is required now is for the students to turn out and supply the pep.

Briefly, and all the students are asked to read the following carefully, the details of the meeting are as follows:

The parade will start on the front campus near the main gates at 7.15 p.m. and will be in charge of Jeff Harding, Cheer Leader, and his assistants, Blake Wilson, Alec Olmstead, and Ross Wilson, a first team man who had the misfortune to break his ankle and is out of the game for the season.

Students will parade by classes, with their class banners, and led by the Highlanders' Band and will proceed along Sherbrooke St. to Peel St., south on Peel St. to St. Catherine St., east on St. Catherine St. to University St. and up University St. to Sherbrooke St., thence proceeding directly to the Union.

During the march McGill yells will be given and the band will play several McGill songs, which will be sung en route.

Immediately on arrival at the Union the students will proceed to the Ball Room on the top floor of the Building and when that room is completely occupied the reading room has been arranged to accommodate the overflow. The programme will be the same in both rooms.

Several prominent men around the University have promised to speak this evening. Among the list of speakers are Sir Arthur Currie, Principal of McGill University; Dean Adams, of Science and vice-principal, Dr. Nicholson, the Registrar; Coaches Shaughnessy, (football) and Van Wagner, (track); E. C. Amaron, President of The Students' Council; Major Stewart Forbes, the Director of Athletics; and D. U. (Doug) MacGregor, the captain of the football team.

The entire meeting will be interspersed with McGill yells and songs, so it is asked that all students, especially freshmen, have Song Books with them. The orchestras and Mandolin Club and the Highlanders' Band will play the newest and most popular pieces.

Free cigarettes will be provided for (Continued on page 2)

PHYSICAL GRADING OF LOWER YEARS

Only Small Number Rank Below "A."

These are busy days for the staff of the Department of Physical Education, examining and grading first and second year students and athletic devotees. Up till yesterday some 765 undergraduates had been classified physically. In this number were found 105 who ranked below Category "A", and of these there were 94 "B" men many of whom will doubtless rank in the "A" class after a proper course of exercises. This year's freshmen are mostly of good physique and many of them indulge in various forms of sport. The table below shows numbers graded up till yesterday:

Category "A"—	560
Category "B"—	94
Category "C"—	2
Category "D"—	5
Category "E"—	4
Total	765

1923 AT DARTMOUTH.

Registrations at Dartmouth for the college 15th year are approximately the same as for the past two years, 590 freshmen entered, 139 being from the State of New York. Only 230 freshmen are from the New England States, Montana which sent up a lone student last year has seven representatives at Hanover this session.



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ERNEST ETAIN SHRDLU HRDLU RDLU QPFWYP THE REGISTRATION FIGURES

McGill this year is as great as ever from a numerical standpoint according to a statement received by the Daily from the Registrar yesterday. Already two thousand three hundred and thirty-five students have registered and as there will be undoubtedly some late arrivals during the next few days, the total, without question, will at least equal that of last year.

A considerable amount of satisfaction may be felt in connection with these figures, for upon perusal of the published details it will be seen that a decided increase has been experienced in certain departments. This is especially true in the Faculty of Arts where the number of students is greatly in excess of last year's total. Whether or not this is due to an increasing desire for a liberal education is unknown but the movement is one, which is certainly in the right direction, and it points toward a great future for the Faculty. The School of Physical Education is also larger than at any time during its comparatively short existence. The School is acquiring a fine and widespread reputation and its graduates are helping to spread the fame of McGill through this and other lands.

It is true that slight decreases are seen in certain sections of the University but there are sound reasons for these. In Science, for instance, the large post-war class has graduated and their departure left a big gap. In Medicine, also, the total is less, but this is largely due to the small first year, which shows a sharp dropping off because of the inauguration of higher standards.

It is a good thing to know that we are not decreasing in size but it is still better when we are assured that McGill still maintains its high position among the universities of the world.

CONDENSED COMMENT

To-night's parade previous to the smoker must be an orderly affair. Disorderly conduct in the downtown sections by even a few students casts a shadow of disgrace on the name of McGill. This should be remembered by all, for the misplaced actions of one or two may spell failure for the evening, where success is strongly desired.

The freshmen rules are nominally in force but some doubt is being expressed as to whether they are actually so. The sophomores made the regulations and the sophomores must see that they are kept. Half measures in such a case bring about a farcical situation and if the present plans do not succeed it is quite probable that the dunce's cap may be on the wrong heads.

ERNEST

TO-NIGHT'S PEP RALLY.

After an unlimited amount of careful preparation and planning those in charge of to-night's Pep Rally have completed all arrangements and the setting is ready for one of the greatest events, which the Union has ever witnessed. The Principal, Sir Arthur Currie, and several other well known men in the university world have stated their intention of being present. Good entertainment is promised and from all indications the pre-smoker parade should reach monster proportions.

Those who were at last year's opening rally do not need any encouragement to make them attend to-night's affair. Pleasant recollections still linger from the autumn of 1922 and when we, who were fortunate enough to be there, stop even for a moment to think of that great get-together smoker, a smile, inward or outward, immediately comes, we remember an evening well spent, with a spirit of good fellowship and camaraderie.

But those, who are entering McGill for the first time, have no such pleasant memory in their store-houses of recollections. Moreover first year men occasionally exhibit a certain amount of reticence in matters such as these. They are liable to have that "I'm-in-the-way" feeling, for many of the freshmen are strangers in a strange land and know not which way to turn. All newcomers should remember, however, that one of the fundamental reasons for the holding of to-night's rally is the abolishment of this sense of estrangement. The smoker is as much for the freshmen as much as it is for the senior and every student will be welcomed heartily.

And as for rushing, even the most timid can cast their fears to the wind for all sophomores will be on their honour to cease molestation during the evening, because the customs of the past cause a temporary truce to be declared between the friendly enemies while such university functions are being staged.

So come to the Union to-night, freshmen. The rally is for you and it is up to each one to enter into the spirit of the evening, in order that friendliness and co-operation may become active forces between faculties, classes and individuals. The Daily does not need to waste time exhorting the men in the upper years to make an appearance, for they know what is going to happen and will be there en masse.

PEP RALLY WILL HOLD ALL COMERS

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All those present during the course of the evening, and arrangements have been made to keep the cafeteria open until 12 o'clock.

An important point for Freshmen to bear in mind is the fact that to-night on University Street.

there is no heading. Freshmen and Sophomores meet on equal ground in the Union and on parade so all fears may be laid aside for the night with regard to rushing.

As this is a Pep Rally the speeches will be short and snappy; the music will be of the best and newest, aside of course, from the old college standards. In fact everything has been done to make this smoker one of the best that has ever been held at McGill. So turn out to-night.

NOTICES

Students are cordially invited to attend the Meeting of Convocation for conferring degrees to be held in the Royal Victoria College on Friday, October 5th 1923, at 5 p. m. On this occasion the Principal will deliver the opening address for the session.

J. A. Nicholson
Registrar.

ARTS '24

Important meeting in Room 5 to consider some most important problems. It is imperative that every member attend.

ARTS '24 ELECTIONS.

All members of Arts '24 are requested to meet in the Smoking Room, Arts Building, without fail to-day, October 4th, at 2.30 p. m. On the election of officers will take place and plans for the activities of the Senior year in Arts will be discussed. It is necessary that each and every man attend.

UNION HOUSE COMMITTEE

An important meeting of the Union House Committee will be held Tuesday at 1 o'clock, in the room opposite the Cafeteria in the Union. Object: To draw up schedule of events in the Union for the Session.

GYMNASIUM CLOTHING.

A few suits, both new and old. Gym clothes for sale at Moleon Hall. Apply to the Janitor.

S.C.A. EXCURSION

The McGill S.C.A. will hold an excursion to Bevel on Sunday Oct. 7th. All students are invited. Train at Bonaventure station at 8.30 a.m. Return by 8.23 p.m. train.

There will be a class meeting of Commerce '24 in Room 100 to-day at 10 a.m., for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

SCIENCE '25

There will be a meeting of Science '25 on Friday at 2.00 p.m. in Room 38 for the purpose of electing the new executive for the coming year.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

The Union House committee invite enquiries for catering to clubs and societies for luncheons and dinners at the Union.

The cuisine is in charge of last year's manager, Mr. Honegger, and preparation has been made this year to cater to any number of students.

GLEE CLUB

The McGill Glee Club will hold its first meeting of this year, to-day night at 7 o'clock in Divinity Hall, on University Street.

This year a much larger membership is to be admitted and beside the last year's supporters, this year's freshmen who are musically inclined, are most cordially invited to attend the meeting on Thursday night. Mr. Harold Key who so ably directed the singing in the last two years, will again lead the club in what is expected to be the banner year of its existence.

SOCCER.

Regular practice days will be announced in a few days. General Meeting will be held shortly, part of business being the discussion of the possibility of forming an Inter-faculty Soccer League; election of officers; etc. Let's get off to a good start this year.

R.V.C. A.A.

The first meeting of the R.V.C. Athletic Association will be held at one o'clock, in the Common Room, on Friday, Oct. 5th.

A large attendance, especially of the First year, is requested.

HARRIERS!

There will be a meeting of the Harrier Club in the Music Room of the Union, 4.30 p. m. to-day, Oct. 4.

R. V. C. '24

The first class meeting will be held on Monday, October 8, in Room 12 R.V.C. at one o'clock. The purpose of this meeting is to elect officers for the current year, therefore as large an attendance as possible is requested.

R.V.C.

The annual freshie reception will be held tomorrow, Thursday, at four o'clock, in the Common Room. Everybody is invited.

Come and get acquainted!

R.V.C. ROOTERS!

There will be a Rooters' practice on Thursday at one o'clock in the gym.

First year students are asked to learn the McGill Yell, which is printed on the Athletic Notice Board, and everyone turn out to practice!

McGILL MANDOLIN CLUB.

The Mandolin Club although it has not had a practice will hold a short practice at the Union at 7.15 before the Pep Rally to-night. All old members are asked to turn out and any others that are interested.

There is to be another Rooters' practice this afternoon in the Union Ball-Room at five o'clock. The Fresh-

men are asked especially to turn out as this is their last chance to perfect the yell for Saturday's game. It will also give the old-timers a chance to learn the new "Locomotive Yell."

WESTERN CLUB

Meeting of Executive of Western Club at 5.30 at Union.

ARTS '25

A meeting of Arts '25 at 12 o'clock, Friday, Oct. 5th., for the election of officers and general business.

FREE MASONS

Will all Masons not belonging to McGill University Masonic Club kindly hand their names, addresses, and phone numbers to the Janitor of either the Arts, New Medical or Engineering buildings.

Any Masons desiring information regarding club may obtain it by communicating with Pres. T. M. Elliott, Med. '24 Pat. 701, Sec. Treas., George Furness, Sci. '24 Up. 9130. Sol-Step. 11. 11. Grimsdale, Junior Eng. Building.

RIFLE CLUB

A meeting of the McGill Rifle Club will be held at Strathcona Hall, Friday, 1 p. m. All those interested are requested to be present to discuss the Club's activities for the coming season.

NEWFOUNDLAND CLUB

The initial meeting of the club will be held in Room B, Strathcona Hall on Friday evening at 7 o'clock. At this meeting all the newcomers to the University will be given a hearty welcome. This is the only way to meet the fellows from your country.

Everybody out sharp on time so that those that want to get away early may do so.

McGILL SWIMMING CLUB

A meeting will be held in the Annual Board Room the McGill Union on Thursday Oct. 4th, 1923 at 5.15 p.m. Business:— Welcome new members and arrange year's programme. All swimmers in the University are asked to attend.

C. M. Anson
Manager.

SCIENCE '25

There will be a meeting of Sci '25 on Friday at 2 P. M. in Room 37. Everybody out.

There will be a practice of the Science Football Team this afternoon at 4.30 at the Union for uniforms.

BRITISH RUGBY

Since the Old Campus is not available to-day for English Rugby a scrum practice will be held on the other practice. The following men are asked to turn out at 4.15 sharp to-day:

Wilson MacLean
Rory MacKinnon Johnson
Mac Odrum Stevenson
Red MacLeod Nerontos
Brown Campbell-Brown
Hart Amos
Lockhead Beaton
Hunkin Dickson

SOCCER

Practice to-day (Thursday) at 4.30 on Campus. All new men are urged to turn out as Inter-faculty League may start next week. Please bring your own equipment.

MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS

At Moleon Hall, from 5 to 6 P. M. Friday, the 5th, October.

This will be the best opportunity for students not already examined to have their examination before the Fresh-Soph Meet and also the English Rugby candidates. See Athletic Relations:—"All students entering the University for the first time, and all students of tripartite in competitive athletics, must, the higher years who desire of pursuing the current session first pass a Medical Examination."

Teenies team candidates also please take note of this hour—5 to 6 Friday the 5th.

R. V. C. '24

The first class meeting will be held on Monday October 8, in Room 12, attendance as possible is requested R. V. C. at one o'clock. As large an attendance as possible is requested for the current year.

R. V. C. '27

A meeting of the First Year Girls will be held on Saturday at one o'clock immediately after English I lecture in Room 105 for the purpose of electing officers for the year. It is important that everyone should be present.

R. V. C. A. A.

The first meeting of the R. V. C. Athletic Association will be held at one o'clock in the Common Room on Friday Oct. 5th when important business of the year's activities will come up for discussion.

R. V. C. TENNIS

The Singles Tournament opened yesterday and it is imperative that the first rounds should be completed by Friday night.

For lists and all further information There will be a meeting of the Harrier Athletic Board.

HARRIERS

There will be a meeting at the Harrier Club in the Music Room of the Union on the third floor to-day at 4.30 p. m. All men interested in cross-country and long-distance runs especially freshmen, are kindly urged to turn out for this meeting to-day.

INSPIRING ADDRESS BY DR. PERRIN

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tion, another the sanity of a piece by Mendelssohn or again the music of Bach and so on, while also anyone's tastes may vary with his or her moods. "But," he stated, "There is one thing which would always be a guiding principle in their selection and that is 'good taste.' It was then pointed out that it is this acquiring of the general principles of good taste which should be the aim of all those who have or (in those of tender age) whose parents think they have, a taste for music.

"Bad taste is rampant in many forms, e. g. the utter vulgarity, cheap wit, hideous colouring, distorted figures of the comic supplements to newspapers, the uniform ugliness, flimsy construction and dingy surroundings of human dwellings, the outré character of each succeeding fashion of female attire, the objectionable features, which I need not particularise, of most of the moving-picture houses, the present-day so-called dances, the slanginess of jargon (for want of a better word) of nearly every magazine one picks up, the flaming coloured postcards in literature, painting, architecture on boardings are all incubating bad taste while the nerve-wrecking noises of the streets (street-cars bumping and rolling, motor horns shrieking and hooting, gramophones blaring) all add their quota to this general atmosphere of 'bad taste.' It is true we do not think of these last as affecting taste in music, but nevertheless unconsciously they do have their influence. It is, however, the daily absorption of the stuff, which I have often pointed out as masquerading under the name of music, which more directly affects the taste of people harmfully, the sickening twaddle of the great majority of songs, the crude savagery of much of the so-called dance music are the lowest grade of bad taste, but in addition to such as these in every department of what we call musical compositions, such as oratorios, operas, symphonies, concertos, sonatas, lyric songs, nocturnes, etc., there are multitudes of instances where bad taste is evident through want of genuine creative power on the part of the so-called composer, for a composer is estimated by what he creates, not by what he borrows' as has been truly

Even provided that a student has sufficient good taste to avoid the patently vulgar, Dr. Perrin asked how he or she discriminate between the genuine and artificial or imitative. He stated that in the latter case, it was not so much the note for note stealing but an adoption of a previous or contemporary composer's style. He mentioned an occasion on which he was asked to listen to what he was told was a fine composition of a foremost American composer. After hearing it he said that he could not help feeling that had it not all been said by Debussy, before it would have been quite excellent and that the verdict had to be that it was exceedingly bad taste to appropriate another's work and to publish it as one's own.

He gave as another instance the London "Punch" which a few days ago quoted Ernest Newman, one of the best of musical critics, as saying that he considered "The Rosary" as the worst song ever written, but "Punch" remarked that this was somewhat hard on the composers of "Yes, We Have No Bananas!" In reply to his own question, why these two songs should be considered "bad taste," Dr. Perrin said that undoubtedly it was for one and the same reason—crudity. The former is crude because of its "extreme artificiality

and excessive sensuality, the latter because of its blatant vulgarity." "Though we may not deny that there is something in both which has temporarily at least captivated the attention of a great number of people as might happen in the case of the attraction of some pretty girl or good-looking boy." But, he showed, that beauty must not be merely skin-deep for shallowness is soon perceived and we look elsewhere for more lasting qualities. The Dean quoted a recent writer who remarked that music which encourages feelings of energy and nobility is of a moral tendency, while that which encourages sloth, or the indulgence of the sensual appetites has immoral tendency. It was said that if the effectiveness of music as an educational force depended then upon how it was employed, it also depended on the style of music chosen.

"The responsibility of those who guide the musical development of the younger generation is a great and important one, made more so because of the opposing forces, dictated largely by commercial motives, arrayed against them. All those who have this sense of responsibility, know that as soon as those whom they are training are in a position to learn anything at all about definite art-works, they must acquire a knowledge of the classics, proceed by slow degrees to learn something of the best of the present-day works and acquire a method whereby they can gradually form a proper standard of 'good taste' in music as well as in any other form of art."

Dr. Perrin's illuminating address was received with much appreciation.

Startling Motion Debated

"That education is the curse of the country," was the motion debated recently in London by Oxford and Cambridge Union speakers before a full audience, who paid from half a crown to seven and six pence for their seats, the money going to hospitals. The mover declared that modern education had vulgarized life, was administered on a class basis, encouraged class prejudice, and stimulated class hatred. His supporters urged that only the mediocre derived benefit from education, that a dangerous position had been created by teaching democracy to read but not to think, and that the great sacrifice of happiness involved in education was greater than any increased proficiency it produced.

Speakers on the other side pointed out that education is more than mere teaching, that the public schools produced gentlemen, that if education was a curse so must knowledge be, that education was a natural process like eating and breathing, and life could not be sustained without it, that it was a fact of nature and inevitable. On a show of hands, Lady Asquith, the chairman, declared the motion lost by 104 votes to 42, and then expressed her own opinion that the debate had revealed a real menace to the country—"brilliant young men not believing a word they said, and yet saying it with wit and charm."

ANNUAL RECEPTION FOR R.V.C. FRESHIES

The women students of all faculties and departments are cordially invited to attend a reception to be given in the Common Room this afternoon at four o'clock by the S. C. A. of the R. V. C.

This is the first social event of the year and it affords an opportunity for those who are at college for those first to get acquainted with each other and with members of the upper classes.

It is hoped that there will be a large gathering, and that every member of Freshman class will be present as well as many from the other years.

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GARSTANG EXHIBIT

Taken From Tombs of Egypt by Famous John Garstang.

One of the most interesting exhibits of the most interesting exhibits ever seen in this city is now in the Library of McGill University. This exhibition is not only of interest to the student of theology and ancient history but also to the ordinary layman. There are exhibits of Nubian pottery and Egyptian and Mesopotamian antiquities of the ages which range from 4000 B. C. to about 1600 B. C. The exhibit is comprised of the Garstang Collection, collected by John Garstang, the famous archaeologist, who is now the director of the studies of archaeology at Liverpool University. The antiquities are being shown under the supervision of Dr. Lomer and Mr. du Plessis, both of McGill.

One of the most noticeable differences of the pottery of the pottery of the different ages is that, whereas the older pieces bear designs of a wave or spiral nature, the comparatively newer pieces, that is, those of about 2000 B. C. have much more intricate designs. This shows to some extent the increase in civilization, if it can be called that.

There are some very interesting scarabs of almost every imaginable colour. These are covered with hieroglyphics which, translated, reveal many things of interest.

There are several necklaces, carved out of shells and bones, which were dug out of the tombs of the Pharaohs. They are still in a surprisingly good state and the only noticeable faults are several small ticks in some of the beads.

Perhaps the most interesting piece is a sort of model boat containing five human figures. The boat itself is in the shape of an oval, very wide at the middle. There are five men, four oarsmen and a steersman. This model was taken from a coffin. It was the custom to put these things in the coffins of kings and queens and the was that these figures would come to life and pilot their royal burden over the celestial seas and the river of oblivion.

Another article worthy of note is an old offering table and several religious vessels. The best of these dishes is a Votive tablet made in the shape of a turtle on which believers would make offerings to their favorite deities, this particular tablet was used by the worshippers of the god Osiris. Some of the vessels were of veined alabaster and are very beautiful, especially when viewed in a strong light.

There are many globular and cylindrical vessels of alabaster, marked with numerous different designs and decorations. The collection also has a few rare faience, that is, variegated fragments of pottery, jewelry and some things which it is impossible to identify.

The ladies of Egyptian times were no different from modern girls in respect to the gentle art of make-up. They had their vanity cases, too, some of which are on view. These are known as Kohl vessels, some of which were used to contain antimony to blacken the eyebrows, and others to hold other pigments. They are made of alabaster and dark polished stone.

Two unopened papyrus are among the more interesting things. The reason that they have not been opened is that they would crumble to dust if tampered with. However, they preserve their unity if handled carefully. umegs rhrd emfw emfw emfw mcccc

Spiritualists would be interested in "The Book of Death." The ancients wrote the outstanding parts of the life of any prince or ruler on a slab of stone and put it in his tomb, supposing that the spirit of the deceased came out to read it after some indefinite time. There is a part of a "Book of the Dead" on exhibition. These so-called books often had secret formulae inscribed on them.

There is also a cast of the famous Rosetta stone, found by the Redpath Museum, which is well worth looking at. The original of this cast is in the British Museum in London.

In conclusion, it may be said that any one of the many show-cases would be well worth going to see, and the whole collection cannot fail to make a favorable impression on the minds of any going to see it.

All Rooters Out. Parade at Five To-day.

You Have an Appointment at Five O'clock With the Rooters.

EDUCATION IS CURSE SAY SPEAKERS

"Walter, this soup is spoiled!"
"Who told you?"
"A little swallow."

FRESHMEN WILL BE WELCOMED TUESDAY

Reception to be Given by Members of S. C. A.

On the evening of Tuesday Oct. 8th at 8 p.m., the members of the S. C. A. tender to the freshmen of all the faculties a reception at Strathcona Hall.

This evening stands out as one the true between the Sophomores and the freshmen, so that all who attend may feel assured that they will not be molested either entering or leaving the hall.

The object of this reception is to give the new men an opportunity to meet each other. The evening's program will consist of a general singing, a few musical and vocal numbers. An opportunity to become acquainted with the ideals and program of the S. C. A.—general introductions all round, and to polish things off, some coffee and cake.



Red and White Hope in Middle Distances.

HIBBEN TALKS TO PRINCETON FROSH

Large Appreciation of Relative Values of Life.

Declaring that "we must clearly set for ourselves the definite purpose of placing before our students at all times the necessity not only of acquiring a body of knowledge and a trained and disciplined mind, but also of giving them an appreciation of the relative value of life," President Hibben yesterday inaugurated the 17th anniversary of Princeton University with an address attended by the entire Freshman Class and a large number of upperclassmen and townspeople.

Saying that education is the one hope to-day in a European world of chaos, the speaker inquired as to the contribution which Princeton could make to equip our young men "for the true responsibilities of that type of American citizenship which is capable of world service." The answer to this is found, in part, in the new plan of study to go into effect with the Junior Class this fall, he said.

In full, Dr. Hibben's address was as follows:

"There is a tendency to-day among our people to congratulate themselves complacently on the fact that they are well out of international troubles and complications and with this point of view the supreme value of life is represented in a selfish way, that we as American citizens are called upon to live and to die unto ourselves in the security of comfortable isolation. "As many of the peoples of Europe are to-day falling back into the old pre-war days of envy, hatred and deadly competition, leading ultimately to war, we cannot look on at the unfolding of such tragedy with either compacency or with indifference. If the European world is to suffer calamity upon calamity in the near future it must inevitably affect us. We "And if education is the one hope donea ed-geo see hr mf mshshshss of the world to-day we should pointedly ask ourselves the question, "What contribution can we here in Princeton make to quicken the spirits of our young men to equip them for the larger and true responsibilities of that type of American citizenship which is capable of world service?"

"Our answer to this question is to be found, in part at least, in the new plan of study which we have devised and which is to go into effect with also with the Freshman and Sophomore Junior Class this fall, indirectly more classes, as these two lower classes must begin at once to prepare for the larger freedom of their upperclass years.

REGISTRATION RETURNS TO DATE ISSUED

Heavy enrollment in First Year Arts.

NOT COMPLETE

Final Figures Will Equal Last Year's.

REGISTRATION RETURNS F. PARSONS

Registration figures given out yesterday afternoon by the registrar, Dr. Nicholson, show the total enrollment to date just ninety-nine short of last year's total. These are not complete as more students are expected to be returning this week, so that the total enrollment this year will be approximately that of the previous session, if not more. Arts' first-year class is very large, showing two hundred and seventy-seven names on the register. Freshmen classes in Commerce and the School of Physical Education are heavier than before. In Medicine, due to the higher entrance requirements, the class of '23 is very small having only forty-eight students.

Below is the detailed enrollment. Final figures will be available by next week.

REGISTRATION UP TO OCT. 2

Arts.	
	1922-3 1923-4
1st year	74 81
2nd	99 119
3rd	111 100
4th	69 79
Partials	111 107
Total	563 713

Commerce.	
1st year	76 81
2nd	65 60
3rd	45 40
Partials	10 —
Total	197 182

Applied Science.	
1st year	182 122
2nd	122 99
3rd	210 98
4th	142 124
5th	5 2
Partials	3 —
Total	663 445

Medicine.	
1st year	117 48
2nd	122 107
3rd	219 122
4th	142 93
5th	107 256
Diploma Public Health	3 —
Special	3 —
Partials	2 —
Totals	715 6636

Pharmacy.	
Total	42 52

Dentistry.	
1st year	47 28
2nd	25 36
3rd	38 44
4th	7 21
Total	115 129

Law.	
1st year	41 36
2nd	22 16
3rd	32 28
Total	95 80

Social Service	
Total	28 23

Physical Education.	
1st year	23 27
2nd	5 32
Total	28 59

Nurses	
Total	36 17

Totals	2434 2335
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Intellectual Freedom

"While we purpose to give wise counsel and helpful direction to our students in the Junior and Senior years, we are at the same time purpose to give them such freedom in intellectual pursuits that it will stimulate their initiative, increase their sense of responsibility and develop an independence of judgement, critical and discriminating, and with the hallmark of a self-enriching and self-determining personality.

"We wish above all things to inspire our young men with the ambition to think for themselves, to train them in the habits of seeking the reasons of their convictions at the source of knowledge to enable them to see far because they see true; to free them from the trammels of prejudice, of superstition, of provincialism, of ignorant, self-centered complacency and from the false security in the comfortable tradition of a sheltered environment and confined horizon.

When the clock struck twelve, father came to the head of the stairs and in a loud voice said, "Young man, is your self-starter out of order tonight?"

"It doesn't matter," retorted the young man, "as long as there is a crank in the house."

"Hungary?"
"Yes, Slam."
"All right, I'll fix it."

STRATHCONA HALL UNDER TRIUMVERATE

Board of Directors Appoint Very Strong Administration Committee.

BELOEIL SUNDAY.

Setting-up Conference Expected to Attract Many Students.

Strathcona Hall will be run entirely by students this year. Last night the Board of directors forwarded to the Advisory Board the recommendation that the duties formerly discharged by Mr. Mackay the late secretary of the Students Christian Association this year be entrusted to a triumverate of students. Harry Avelon will direct the activities in connection with the Student Christian Movement, Fred Amaron will govern finances, while Fred Howes is to administer Strathcona Hall.

The directors were faced with many problems last night, due mainly to the loss of Mr. Mackay, and to the fact is not returning to college for post-grad. Mr. Mitchell, the president-elect, work as was expected in the spring. It was thought inadvisable to bring in a strange secretary for this year, particularly when three such able men in their respective departments could be found to volunteer to carry on the S. C. A. business this year. As a temporary assistant to Amaron, the president of the Arts Undergrad Society "Cec" Teakle was asked to assume the immediate burden of finances.

The position of president was filled by the acclamation of Don Stewart of Science. This completed a very strong executive which hopes to be able to carry on the work of the Association entirely under the student direction this year.

The Sunday conference at Beloeil was the most important subject of discussion. Each year the S. C. A. has had the custom of holding a setting-up conference early in the fall term at which the purposes of the Association and the work planned for the year are clearly outlined. This year the all day meeting is to be held at Beloeil.

The crowd leaves Bonaventure Station at 8.30 o'clock next Sunday morning returning to the city at nine in the evening. The people at Beloeil are most enthusiastic and as the church is too small to accommodate the crowd expected, they have arranged for a larger hall. All students at McGill including the R. V. C. residents are cordially invited to take the trip.

E. CONSIGLIO



McGill Hurdler, Weight Thrower and Pole Vault.

A doughty knight once forth did fare. He got the colic—When and where? In the middle of the knight.

"How kind of you Ross, to bring me these lovely flowers. They are so beautiful and fresh. I think there is some dew on them yet."

"Yes, Ruth, you're right, but don't worry, I'm going to pay it off tomorrow."

Jim: Are you fond of nuts?
Cecile (coldly): Is that a proposal?

COMPETITION FOR PLACES ON PAPER

Columbia Spectator Starts the Season.

New candidates for Spectator report in the office of the daily when the 1923-1924 competition for positions on the editorial and business boards was launched.

Only Freshmen and Sophomores were eligible to try for places on the staff of the paper and the first year men will receive preference in the annual elections. The competition continues until next April when the first elections will be made. Several cuts in the list of candidates will be effected in the interval, and new men will be admitted to the list when the Spring semester starts in February. It is probable that a second election will be held in May to take care of the candidates who enter the competition at the mid-year.

Aspirants for the editorial staff of Spectator report to Theodore M. Bernstein '24, managing editor, in the editorial rooms of the daily in East Hall, while candidates for the business board report to Edwin D. Tutill '24, business manager, in the business office.

Classes in news writing and newspaper work in general will be conducted regularly for the editorial candidates, while business methods and their applications to journalism will comprise the training for the business board candidates.

A meeting of all members of the editorial board of Spectator was called in the editorial office, at which time plans for the new year were discussed.

A maiden boarded a midnight car, And fiercely grasped a strap, And every time they hit a curve, She sat in a different lap. The hills grew higher, the turns grew worse.

At last she gasped with a smile, "Will someone kindly tell me, How many laps to the mile?" (Vox Lycei)

OXFORD-DARTMOUTH DEBATE A SUCCESS

The capacity audience of 700 persons which filled Dartmouth Hall recently was divided almost equally on the question of the French occupation of the Ruhr at the close of the Dartmouth-Oxford debate, when it was asked to register its sentiments on the question: "Resolved, That this house condemns the French occupation of the Ruhr." The Oxford debaters attempted to prove that the French action was unjustifiable, while Dartmouth defended the occupation.

In accordance with the English custom no judges were present and the only form of decision was a gathering of opinion by a show of hands in the audience concerning, not the merits of the debate but the merits of the question itself.

Dean Laycock, who presided at the meeting, declared himself to be in doubt as to the verdict of the audience, and expressed the opinion that the house was evenly divided. No actual count was made, but the consensus of opinion was that the audience was split almost exactly half-and-half.

J. D. Woodruff, G. A. Gardner and C. H. O. Scaife, speaking in the order named, represented Oxford. They emphasized the danger of disturbing the economic equilibrium because of its effect on the entire world. They attempted to show that France's action was legally, morally and politically unjustifiable, in addition to being economically unsound.

Dartmouth was represented by R. L. Davidson '24, W. B. Sleigh '25, and H. C. Stockwell '24. They emphasized France's moral and legal right to reparations and blamed England and the United States for withdrawing their support from France. They also pointed out that German capitalists are defrauding France of money, and trying to put Germany on a much sounder economic basis than her currency value indicates.

Will: Behold me in the flower of manhood.
Yum: Yes, you blooming idiot.

MANY RELIGIONS IN U. OF OKLAHOMA

Methodist Episcopal Church Leads.

That the student body of the university of Oklahoma as a whole are members of churches is indicated by B. S. Graham and Miss Helen Ruth Holbrook, secretaries of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. respectively. The figures compiled by the two Christian associations show that 87 per cent of all the students enrolled in the university are member of some church or express a church preference.

The Methodist Episcopal church, South, leads among the different denominations in both university men and women with 362 men and 132 women registered as belonging to this church. The numbers total 544.

The First Presbyterian church comes second in the census with 594 students, 343 men and 151 women. The Christian and Baptist churches divide the honors for third place. One hundred and forty-four women and 323 men signed up for the Christian church as compared with 136 women and 532 men for the Baptist church.

Fourth place goes to the Methodist Episcopal church with 213 men and 129 women while St. John's Episcopal has 153 men and 129 women registered.

The Catholic church has 44 men students and 23 women signed up at the registry office. Forty-eight students signed up for the Jewish faith, 35 men and 13 women.

The First Church of Christ, Scientist, has a larger number of women signed up for this church than men. Twenty men as compared to 28 women.

Other denominations have few students signed up in the registry office as members. The various other denominations included are Church of Christ, Nazarene, Congregational Lutheran and Unitarian, Friends (Quaker), Church of God United Brethren, Evangelical, Mennonite, Christian Union and Latter Day Saints.

The total number membership as shown by the census was men 1351 and women 950.

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